

Numismatics International

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Forty-ninth meeting of
NUMISMATICS INTERNATIONAL
Wednesday, July 17th, 1968, 7:30 P.M.
Northwest National Bank - Community Room
Walnut Hill Shopping Village
DALLAS, TEXAS, U.S.A.

PROGRAM: "Invasion Currency and How We Were Robbed"
The speaker will show his award-winning
Invasion Currency display and give his
comments on "how to borrow plates from
the U. S. Government, print your own and
collect on same".

SPEAKER: TOM BAIN

ORDERS ACCEPTED FOR:

COINS

BRAZIL, 2000 Reis, Y24, UNC	\$ 1.65 ea.
CRETE, 5 Drachmas 1901, Y9, Fine	11.00 ea.
CYPRUS, 1 & 2 Sch. 1947, Y26-27, VF	1.75 set
CZECHOSLOVAKIA, 20 Korun, YS27, XF	3.25 ea.
DANZIG, 5 Gulden, Y14, VF	30.00 ea.
EAST GERMANY, 1968 20 Mks. Karl Marx, UNC	14.00 ea.
GUYANA 1967 Proof Set	9.25 set
KUTCH, 5 Kori, 1936, Y16, XF	3.00 ea.
LATVIA, 1 Lats 1924, Y7, F-VF	1.75 ea.
MOZAMBIQUE, Y18-25 Current Set, UNC	4.00 set
NETHERLANDS, 2½ Gulden, C92, F	5.50 ea.
NEW CALEDONIA, 10, 20 & 50 Fr., Y5-7, UNC	2.75 set
NEW HEBRIDES, 10, 20 Francs, Y12, 1967, UNC	1.35 set
SOUTH AFRICA 1967 Proof Set	9.00 set

All Orders for the above coins must be in by July 23rd.

Books

"Report of Committee to Research World Coinage Types
and Varieties", by NI-GCTA Mbrs., 126pp. -- \$2.00 ea.

"The Coinage and Banknotes of Ireland 1928-1968"
by NI Member Jerome Remick: Retail - \$1.50
Members Cost -- 1.05 ea.

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CHANGES OF ADDRESS: SMSgt Wm. A. Peters, 701 S. 22nd
St., Apt. 18, Drake Ct., Omaha, Nebr. 68102 -- Maxwell
Studley, 721 Wanaao Place, Kailua, Hawaii 86734.

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JUNE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS: Members #240-251 pub-
lished in the June Bulletin have been admitted to
membership.



NEW APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP: The following persons have applied for membership. If no written objection is received by August 1st, 1968, their membership will become effective that date.

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| 252 | Masato M. Sera
P. O. Box 45031
Northtown Station
Chicago, Illinois 60645 | China and Japan |
| 253 | D. R. Pratt
2155 South First
Abilene, Texas 79605 | Dealer in World Coins.
Trades by Mail. |
| 254 | Major M. Owens
P. O. Box 4093
Warrington, Florida 32507 | World Types
Trades by Mail. |
| 255 | Donald E. Zubris
367 Goundry St.
North Tonawanda, New York 14094 | British Commonwealth |
| 256 | Donald L. Strayer
1217 Pine St.
Montoursville, Penna. 17754 | World Types.
Trades by Mail |
| 257 | Shelton Cross
4801 No. Hill Blvd., Apt. 3A
North Little Rock, Arkansas 72116 | |
| 258 | Clifford H. Tulgren
Box 248
Lonoke, Arkansas 72086 | World Types |

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OUTSTANDING COIN ORDERS LISTED IN PAST BULLETINS:

- May 1967 --- Australian Changeover Set in Vinyl Case
Nov. 1967 -- Chile (all issues offered)
Dec. 1967 -- Congo Y3-4
Jan. 1968 -- Formosa Y19-20; Kenya Y1-6
Feb. 1968 -- Finland Y62; Philippines 1967 Set
Mar. 1968 -- Czechoslovakia Y75; Singapore Y6
Apr. 1968 -- Afghanistan Y6, 10, A10, 11, 32 and 34; Tonga (both sets)
May 1968 --- All items are still outstanding.
June 1968 -- All items are still outstanding.

THIRD ANNUAL EXHIBIT, NOVEMBER 20, 1968: Initial plans have been formulated for the November Exhibit Night Meeting. A new concept in judging has been approved by your Executive Committee where each member in attendance will judge and vote for their favorite exhibits. More information on this will be in future Bulletins. There will be no limit to the number of exhibits a member can enter in any category. Categories for this years Exhibit Night will be as follows:

Modern World Coins - 1500 to Date
Ancient and Medieval - Prior to 1500
Paper Money of the World
Miscellaneous (all other numismatic topics)

Ribbons will be awarded in the following manner:

Best of Show
Second Best of Show
Third Best of Show
Honorable Mention - Modern World Coins
Honorable Mention - Ancient and Medieval
Honorable Mention - Paper Money of the World
Honorable Mention - Miscellaneous

(Note: The Honorable Mention awards will be awarded to the best exhibit in each category not receiving a Best of Show or Second or Third Best of Show Ribbon.)

Exhibit Rules will be published in the Bulletin during the near future. It is expected that they will follow in general the rules of last year except for there being no limit of exhibits for each member, the new judging system and the categories, of course which are different from last year.

Start planning your exhibits now and lets plan to break the record for the number of exhibits that we had at our First Exhibit Night in 1966. Everyone has something that others would like to see, so don't be bashful about exhibiting your collection and sharing it with others.

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CLUB LIBRARY: Many thanks to member Jerry Remick who has been so kind to donate a few books to our Club Library. Our Library is very small and is supported entirely by donations so if any of you wish to contribute, your books and reference material is welcomed. If we can get enough donations to the Library, plans are to work up some kind of an inventory so that the library will become available to all members, not just the local folks. If anyone has any suggestions concerning this, let us hear from you.

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PROGRAM CHANGE FOR AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER: The schedule of 1968 programs listed in the April Bulletin will be changed to the effect that the August and September Programs have been reversed: M. C. Smith in August and K. T. "Ed" Edwards in September.

EXTRA COINS AVAILABLE FOR SALE TO MEMBERS:

3 -- AFGHANISTAN Y50, 51, 52, 52a - Average Circulated	\$1.25 set
5 -- ALBANIA Y49-43, 1964, UNC	4.00 set
1 -- COLOMBIA Y61a, 63a, 64a, 65a, A65, 80, 1967, UNC	1.00 set
3 -- CZECHOSLOVAKIA, Y40, 50 Korun 1947, XF	1.50 ea.
2 -- EAST GERMANY Y6, 8-11, 13 - Current Set, UNC	1.75 set
3 -- GERMANY (WEST) Y120, 5 Mark 1966 Humboldt, UNC	2.35 ea.
1 -- GIBRALTAR Crown, 1967, Y1, UNC	1.50 ea.
1 -- ISRAEL Y46, 1 Lira, 1967, UNC	.75 ea.
1 -- MEXICO 25 Peso Olympic Comm., 1968, UNC	2.85 ea.
1 -- ROMANIA Y86, 25,000 Lei, 1946, XF	3.00 ea.
2 -- RWANDA Y1-3, UNC	1.25 set
2 -- TUNISIA Y13-15, XF	3.85 set
1 -- TUNISIA Y13-14 only, XF	1.85 set
3 -- UGANDA Y1-6, 1966, UNC	1.35 set
2 -- WEST AFRICAN STATES, Y1-3, UNC	.55 set
1 -- YUGOSLAVIA 6-pc 1963 Set, UNC	1.10 set

The club needs to dispose of these extra coins. They total \$66.20 that could be being used as club operating capital. As an incentive to dispose of these extras and get the money back in the treasury, anyone ordering \$10.00 or more of these items may deduct 10% discount. \$25.00 or more order, deduct 15%.

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NEW MAIL TRADER: Member John Welborn III has informed us that he desires his status on the membership list be changed to a "Mail Trader". He says he has several hundred extras and that he is desirous of trading to other collectors in order to help further his own collection. Anyone interested in trading with John should write him at 5511 Bonita, Dallas, Texas 75206 (Note new address).

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FIFTH YEAR: This month's meeting will be the first meeting of our fifth year. Little did the 14 persons who met at NI member H. D. Lawrence's "L & M Coins and Stamps" on Wednesday, July 15th, 1964 here in Dallas realize that in as short a time as four years our club would grow to a membership of 132, which can now count 27 States and 8 Foreign Nations. It is of interest that of the 15 original Founder Members, 10 are still active in the organization. Thanks is offered, at the beginning of this, our fifth year, to the Founder Members of NI, without whose guidance and unselfish donation of time and work, this fine club could not be what it is today.

We recently met the challenge of our fine Amsterdam Member, Matthew J. van der Voort, in succeeding to get 25 members in a record time. Now, let's set a new goal of 200 members by the date of our Fifth Anniversary, July 15th, 1969. Remember, the 1968 membership contest is still on and will be until the December Meeting. Patrick Hogan is still leading with new members signed up but some others are close on his heels in trying to win the 1964 South African Proof Set which will be awarded at the December Meeting. If you need any application blanks, write Jack E. Lewis, the Membership Chairman.

COMING IN THE AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER BULLETIN: Member John K. Graves of Hillsboro, New Hampshire has submitted another fine article for our use in a future Bulletin. He specializes in the coinage of Finland, as well as Pure Nickel Coinage (remember the Check List), and has prepared an 8 page listing of the entire coinage of Finland from 1864 to date. This is the most complete and accurate Finnish coin listing seen by your Bulletin Editor. It is planned to run it in its complete form in either the August or September Bulletin as a special feature like we recently did with John's "Pure Nickel Coinage Check List".

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"WHITMAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL" LISTINGS:

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>TENTATIVE CATALOG NO. & ISSUE</u>	<u>TENTATIVE VALUE</u>
BURUNDI:	Y2 5 Francs Aluminum 1968	\$ --
CZECHOSLOVAKIA:	Y76 25 Korun Silver 1968, Commemorating the National Museum in Prague	4.00
GREAT BRITAIN:	Y142 5 New Pence Copper-Nickel 1968	.20
	Y143 10 " " " "	.40
ICELAND:	Y19 10 Kronur Copper-Nickel 1967	3.00
ISRAEL:	Y47 10 Pounds Silver 1968, 20th Anniversary Commemorative	6.00
	Y48 100 Pounds Gold 1968, 20th Anniversary Commemorative	--
WEST AFRICAN STATES:	Y4 100 Francs Nickel 1967	1.00

Note: Consult your copy of "Whitman Numismatic Journal" for plates and other information on the above listings as well as some always good reading each month.

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CANADIAN 1968 NICKEL COINAGE TO BE ISSUED IN AUGUST: The all nickel Canadian 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and \$1.00 dated 1968 will be issued early in August. They are now being struck and will be stockpiled till then. The 50¢ and \$1.00 will be smaller in diameter than the 1967 coins. All coins will have the 1966 design. At present the 10¢ and 25¢ are being made of .500 silver but these will be discontinued shortly.

Uncirculated copies of the nickel dollar are available at \$1.25 each with a minimum order of 5 or multiples of 5. A special leatherette presentation case is available for the dollar at \$1.25 extra.

Uncirculated copies of the 5 coin nickel set and the 1¢ in bronze are available at \$4.00 each in quantities of 1, 3 or 5 sets, or multiples of 5 sets.

Orders should be sent to Coins Uncirculated, Box 470, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. Checks (payable in Canadian Funds) should be made payable to the Receiver General of Canada and certified.

- Reported to NI by Jerry Remick -

BOOK REVIEWS

by Jerry Remick

"The English Silver Coinage from 1649" by H. A. Seaby and P. A. Rayner, 3rd Edition, 1968, 203 pages, 625 illustrations, 45 shillings (\$5.40 US). Published by B. A. Seaby, Ltd., 59-65 Great Portland St., London W1, England.

The third edition of this standard reference work is greatly enlarged, it being 203 pages as against 136 pages for the second edition, and excellent photographs replace the line drawings of the second edition.

The book covers all known dates of British silver coinage from 1649 through the 1968 decimal coinage by denomination, beginning with the crowns and ending with the Maundy Money. It lists all known die varieties, patterns, proof specimens and various metals for each date of British silver coinage. A rarity scale indicates the relative scarcity of each variety, metal, etc., for each date. Prices are not given.

The same basic format is followed as in the second edition, but new features have been added. Over 625 very sharp photographs of all type coins and some varieties replace the line drawings of the second edition. Many more coins are shown in photographs in the third edition than in line drawings in the second edition. The section on the History of the Coinage has been re-written and enlarged. The history of the coinage of each monarch with new data on engravers and designers of their coinage is given chronologically beginning with the Commonwealth period. Tables at the end of the book have been added to this edition giving the mintages for each denomination and date of silver coin from 1816-1966.

The book is printed on a heavy glossy paper which allows excellent reproduction of the photographs. The book is the same dimension as the previous edition and is bound with a blue hard cover. A very attractive heavy blue foil dust jacket protects the hard cover.

This is the only book available that lists all die varieties, patterns, proofs, and various metals for each date of each denomination of English silver coinage. With over 40 years numismatic study behind them, the authors have produced a first-rate reference work on English silver coinage. Frank Purvey, photographer and Publications Director, should be congratulated on the high quality of his very excellent photographs. This book is very highly recommended to all interested numismatists.

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Booklet on Hong Kong Coinage issued: A 27 page booklet entitled "Regal Coinage of Hong Kong" by Ray Hamson was recently issued and is available from the Museum and Art Gallery, City Hall, Hong Kong for \$2.00. The booklet lists all the dates of Hong Kong coinage and the major die varieties and gives some new data on the major die varieties of the Queen Victoria coinage. No mintage figures are given and no valuations. All type coins are illustrated with excellent photographs. An 11 page introductory section covers the history of Hong Kong coins, counterfeit coins, rare coins, mint marks and other topics. The booklet is highly recommended.

BOOK REVIEWS - by Jerry Remick (Cont'd):

"Coin Collector and Shopper" monthly newspaper published by Krause Publications, Iola, Wisconsin 54954, USA. \$3.00 per year for 12 monthly issues.

"The Coin Collector", formerly published by the Coin Collector Co. of Kewanee, Illinois, has been acquired by Krause Publications of Iola, Wisconsin and combined with their former monthly newspaper "The Coin Shopper" into a new monthly coin newspaper entitled "Coin Collector and Shopper".

The first issue of the two combined coin newspapers was published in May 1968 and contained 40 pages printed on newspaper 11 x 17 inches in size.

"The Coin Collector and Shopper" features news items on new issues of coins of all countries, book reviews, and monthly columns by such well known numismatists as Maurice Gould, Randolph Zander, Arlie Slabaugh, A. J. Croshier, Paul Whitnah, David Ganz and Q. David Bowers. Each columnist will offer valuable advice to the collector on varied subjects each month. Counterfeit coins, tokens and medals, United States coins, and numismatic data for the young collector were some of the items discussed by the various columnists.

Classified advertisements, as well as advertisements from many numismatic firms, occupy about one-quarter of the newspaper. The newspaper is recommended to all collectors, especially those who are seeking to broaden their knowledge on many phases of numismatics and those who like to trade, buy or sell coins.

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EUROPEAN NUMISMATICS Vol I, Number I, May 1968. Published by Uitgeverij, Numismatica Nederland N. V., Darwinplantsoen 26, Amsterdam 6, Holland. \$2.10 US (surface mail) or \$3.50 US (air mail) for a 1 year subscription.

"European Numismatics" is Europe's first commercial numismatic journal to be devoted to coins, banknotes, medals, tokens and numismatic literature of the coins of the world. It is a multi-lingual magazine. The first issue published in May 1968 included articles in English, French, Dutch and German on such subjects as Irish Coins, Counterfeit Coins, Indonesian banknotes and German East African Coinage. Advertisements from European and American firms are included.

S. A. M. Le Loux, well known Dutch numismatist is the editor. He plans six issues for the first year to be issued in two month intervals.

The magazine is well printed and the illustrations are clear. It is 6 x 8 inches and is printed on heavy paper.

BOOK REVIEWS - by Jerry Remick (Cont'd):

"Current Coins of the World" by R. S. Yeoman, Second Edition, 1968, 256 pages, illustrated, \$2.50 US. Published by Western Publishing Co., Inc., Whitman Hobby Division, Racine, Wisconsin, USA.

The second edition of "Current Coins of the World" by R. S. Yeoman, released in May, lists all type coins for all countries of the world from approximately 1940 to date.

Valuations for each type coin is given in very fine condition for those coins issued before 1953 and in uncirculated condition for those coins issued from 1953 to date. Many of the type coins are illustrated by very clear photographs.

Each type coin is numbered according to the system set up in Yeoman's "brown book" entitled "A Catalogue of Modern World Coins". This numbering system is now standard throughout the world.

The book has a hard white cover and is printed on glossy paper of 5 x 7½ inches.

The second edition lists a number of countries which were not included in the first edition as they issued their new coinage after the first edition was published. Among them are Botswana, Brunei, Gambia, Gibraltar, Guyana, New Hebrides, Malaysia, Qatar and Dubai, Singapore and Western Samoa.

This book and Yeoman's "A Catalogue of Modern World Coins" are the world-recognized-standard listing and pricing of type coins of all countries. The Yeoman numbering system has set a necessary standard which has brought order out of chaos. Numismatists throughout the world owe Mr. Yeoman a great debt as his books have enabled thousands of numismatists to form type collections of one or more countries.

The second edition of "Current Coins of the World" is highly recommended to all numismatists.

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"REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO RESEARCH WORLD COINAGE TYPES AND VARIETIES"

The above report has been completed and all complimentary copies for those who worked on the Committee, along with all advance orders, have been mailed. If you have not received your copy yet, wait a few more days as they are mailed under a special fourth class book rate and sometimes the post office is very slow about processing delivery of this class of mail.

There are still plenty of copies of the report available but keep in mind that the total printing is only 200 copies so don't be left out by waiting too long in ordering your copy. The report will not be reprinted after we sell out this limited 200 copy edition.

We have several complimentary reports on the booklet type report and also have been promised an "in depth" article concerning how its contents will affect future editions of the "brown book" by Whitman Associate Editor Holland Wallace.